GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3646
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2002
INCREASE OF FUNDS FOR MPLADS
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received requests from Members of Parliament to increase the MPLAD funds from Rs.2crore per annum to Rs.5 crore per annum;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the decision taken by the Government in this regard; and

(d) the percentage of utilisation of funds in MPLAD Scheme in various States, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION(SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) & (b) Requests for increasing the annual allocation of MPLADS funds from the present level of Rs. 2 crore per MP to Rs. 4/5 crore per MP have been received. Higher allocations have also been sought on the basis of the size of a constituency, number of voters, magnitude of local needs and increased allocations of MLAs under similar schemes.

(c) It has not been possible to accede to these requests because of resource constraints.

(d) The requisite information is furnished in the enclosed statement.

Statement referred to in the answer to part (d) of Unstarred Question No. 3646 for 7.8.2002 Release of funds/Expenditure under MPLADS from its inception till 31.7.2002 (in Rs.lakhs)

Sl. No.	STATE	Release by G.O.I	Amount Sanctioned	% Sanction over Release	Expenditure Incurred	% Utilisation over Release
1	Nominated	12100	10567.5	87.3	8386.6	69.3
2	Andhra Pradesh	79395	74906.7	94.3	59623.5	75.1
3	Arunachal Pr.	4015	3690.8	91.9	3475.8	86.6
4	Assam	25755	22989.1	89.3	20033.6	77.8
5	Bihar	72535	67265.0	92.7	52872.3	72.9
6	Goa	3315	3019.2	91.1	2387.5	72.0
7	Gujarat	44635	41229.1	92.4	32517.4	72.9
8	Haryana	18925	17511.7	92.5	15548.4	82.2
9	Himachal Pr.	8635	7714.4	89.3	7053.0	81.7
10	J & K	9050	8250.7	91.2	5647.2	62.4
11	Karnataka	50900	46555.2	91.5	38993.7	76.6
12	Kerala	36395	33903.8	93.2	22614.7	62.1
13	Madhya pradesh	52660	48725.3	92.5	41652.8	79.1
14	Maharashtra	83775	78642.1	93.9	58172.5	69.4
15	Manipur	3715	3444.5	92.7	3055.5	82.2
16	Meghalaya	3515	3144.1	89.4	3088.6	87.9
17	Mizoram	2710	2613.2	96.4	2613.2	96.4
18	Nagaland	2610	2410.0	92.3	2410.0	92.3
19	Orissa	39400	35895.6	91.1	25146.6	63.8
20	Punjab	23605	21792.1	92.3	16077.0	68.1
21	Rajasthan	45225	42528.6	94.0	36114.4	79.9
22	Sikkim	2610	2430.5	93.1	1937.7	74.2
23	Tamil Nadu	74335	69641.2	93.7	62927.8	84.7
24	Tripura	3815	3512.4	92.1	2408.9	63.1
25	Uttar Pradesh	141570	131081.8	92.6	109941.2	77.7
26	West Bengal	66285	60705.4	91.6	41977.7	63.3
27	A & N Islands	1205	1154.1	95.8	689.1	57.2

28	Chandigarh	1005	973.1	96.8	612.4	60.9
29	D & N Haveli	1305	1273.0	97.5	992.3	76.0
30	Daman & Diu	1305	1171.6	89.8	1171.6	89.8
31	Delhi	11195	10511.3	93.9	8500.3	75.9
32	Lakshdweep	905	843.7	93.2	843.7	93.2
33	Pondicherry	2710	2788.4	102.9	1906.2	70.3
34	Chhattisgarh	19065	17526.2	91.9	14405.4	75.6
35	Uttaranchal	8525	7669.4	90.0	6167.3	72.3
36	Jharkhand	19375	17606.8	90.9	13372.1	69.0
Total :		978080	905687.6	92.6	725337.9	74.2